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SUBJECT: SUMMIT COMMUNIQUE - THE ARMS EMBARGO ISSUE

REF: A) ATHENS 4214, B) STATE 131751
GOG RESISTANCE TO MENTION IN SUMMIT COMMUNIQUE OF EFFORTS TO
LIFT EMBARGO ON TURKEY UNDERSTANDABLE INASMUCH AS GREEKS
HAVE APPARENTLY ADOPTED EMBARGO AS CENTERPIECE OF THEIR
POLICY VIS-A-VIS TURKEY. NEVERTHELESS BEFORE AGREEING TO
WATER DOWN OR TO REMOVE THE OFFENDING PARAGRAPH WE SHOULD
RECOGNIZE THAT MOVE IN THAT DIRECTION WILL REINFORCE TURKISH
BELIEFS THAT (A) U.S. EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN POLICY IS
ULTIMATELY RESPONSIVE TO PRESSURES OF GOG AND GREEK PARTISANS
IN U.S., AND (B) CARTER ADMINISTRATION'S SUPPORT FOR
EFFORT TO LIFT THE EMBARGO REMAINS QUESTIONABLE. FACT THAT
GOT HAS NOT MATCHED GOG IN ITS EFFORT TO LOBBY ON THIS
PARAGRAPH OF COMMUNIQUE DOES NOT MEAN THAT GOT CARES LESS THAN
GOG ABOUT THE ISSUE. WE REALIZE SUMMIT COMMUNIQUE MUST TAKE
INTO ACCOUNT INTERESTS OF ALL ALLIES, AND WE EXPECT THAT
COMPROMISE WILL EVENTUALLY EMERGE WHICH WILL SATISFY NEITHER
GOG NOR GOT. WE URGE HOWEVER THAT U.S. NOT TAKE THE LEAD

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